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In re Patent Application of:
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For: MOLECULAR COMPOUNDS CONTAINING
PHENOL DERIVATIVES AS CONSTITUENT

Examiner: Elvis O. PRICE

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116

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Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Final Office Action dated April 9, 2008, finally rejecting claims 1-4, 12-19, and 28-31, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 19 of this paper.

It is believed that no additional fees are required for this Response. However, should additional fees be necessary in connection with the filing of this Response, or if a petition for extension of time is required for timely acceptance of the same, the Commissioner is hereby

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authorized and requested to charge Deposit Account No. 04-0100 for any such fees, and Applicant hereby petitions for any needed extension of time.